

Tennessee End-of-Course (EOC) Assessment Program



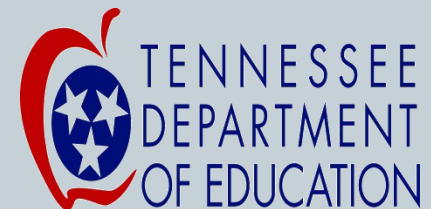
UPDATES



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EOC Assessments



AYP EOCs

- Algebra I
- Biology I
- English II
- ELSA* Algebra I
- ELSA English II

EOCs

- English I
- U.S. History
- Algebra II
- English III (**NEW**)

*English Linguistically Simplified Assessment



AYP EOCs

-55 Operational Items

-10 Field Test Items

-Untimed

English I , Algebra II, and English III

-55 Operational Items

-10 Field Test Items

-Untimed

U.S. History

-50 operational Items

-10 Field Test Items

-Untimed

- **AYP EOC**

Algebra I/ELSA

English II/ELSA

Biology I

- **EOC**

English I

Algebra II

English III (NEW)

U.S. History

New English III Exam



- Operational this year
- Exam score must count 25% of the second semester grade
- 65 items: 55 operational items, 10 field test items
- Practice test, item sampler, and RCPI chart will be posted online by Friday, September 23.
- Braille version will not be available until Spring 2012.
- Cut scores will be established during the Summer 2012 standard setting process.
- Official 2011-2012 reports will be provided in September 2012.

EOC Testing: Dual Enrollment Courses



A student earning a credit via a dual enrollment program is not required to take the corresponding state EOC exam. However, AYP EOC exams (Algebra I, Biology I, and English II) are not included in this exemption.

EOC Testing: AP and IB Courses



A student enrolled in an Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) section of a course with a state end-of-course (EOC) exam should be administered the state exam only if the student did NOT take the state exam while enrolled in a prerequisite course. For example, if a student did not earn a credit in a standard U.S. History course prior to enrolling in AP U.S. History, he or she would be required to take the state U.S. History EOC exam upon completing the AP U.S. History course.

The purpose of this guidance is to ensure a student enrolled in an AP or IB course is not administered a corresponding state EOC exam twice. A student should only retake a state EOC exam if he or she failed a course with a state EOC exam and is re-enrolled in the course.

(The State Board of Education has been asked to review the policy for testing AP and IB students.)

ELSA Eligibility



The ELSA Algebra I and ELSA English II exams are appropriate for students who are eligible for English as a Second Language (ESL) services.

NEW: T1 and T2 students are now eligible to take an ELSA exam.

Ineligible Students: Students who have transitioned out of an ESL program

(EOC ELSA exams are not available in large print or Braille.)

EOC Exam Score



NEW: Beginning this year, the end-of-course exam score must count **25%** of the second semester grade.

Algebra I Exam Score: Middle School Testers



Middle school students enrolled in Algebra I are required to take both the ACH* math subtest as well as the EOC Algebra I exam; however, only the EOC Algebra I exam score should be applied to the course grade.

*Tennessee Comprehensive Assessment Program (TCAP) Achievement (ACH) Test

Gateway or AYP EOC?

Gateway

- Entered high school prior to the 2009-10 school year
- Previously earned a credit in Algebra I, Biology I, or English II

AYP EOC

- Enrolled in Algebra I, Biology I, or English II
(Regardless of grade level or graduation requirements, a student must be administered the AYP EOC exam if enrolled in an AYP EOC class.)

Enrolled=EOC

Gateway and AYP EOC?



Administering both a Gateway and AYP EOC exam in the same content area (Algebra I AYP EOC exam and Gateway Math exam) is permissible only if a student meets each of the following conditions:

- The student entered high school prior to 2009-2010.
- The student is enrolled in an AYP EOC class. (The AYP EOC exam is required-no exceptions.)
- The student has been receiving a Gateway intervention while enrolled in the EOC class.

Out-of-State Transfer Students



If an out-of-state student transfers to a TN high school having EARNED A CREDIT a credit in a course for which there is a state EOC exam, he or she is not required to take the state exam. An out-of-state student who has already earned a credit should not participate in EOC testing pertinent to the course for which credit was awarded. Only if the student enrolls in a course with a state EOC assessment must he or she take the state EOC assessment (at the end of his or her course of study).

What if the out-of-state transfer student has a Gateway diploma requirement?

Tennessee does not have a system of reciprocity regarding exit exams. If the out-of-state transfer student entered high school prior to the 2009-2010 school year, he or she must meet the Gateway diploma requirement in math, language arts, and science in order to receive a regular TN diploma. An out-of-state transfer student who entered high school prior to the 2009-10 school year and has already earned a credit in Algebra I, English II, or Biology I should be administered a Gateway exam. If the student enrolls in Algebra I, Biology I, or English II, he or she may meet the Gateway diploma requirement via the corresponding AYP EOC exam (at the end of his or her course of study).

Transition Scenarios



End of Course and Gateway Transition Scenarios

Student passes an AYP/EOC class but fails to meet the Gateway requirement via the AYP/EOC exam



Student should be provided a Gateway intervention and allowed to test online during the next administration.

Student fails an AYP/EOC or EOC class

Options



Student participates in local credit recovery program. It would not be appropriate for the student to retake the AYP/EOC or EOC exam. If the student entered high school prior to the 2009-10 school year and did not satisfy the Gateway requirement via the AYP/EOC exam, he or she should be provided a Gateway intervention and allowed to take the corresponding Gateway exam online during the next administration.



Student repeats the AYP/EOC or EOC class. Upon completing the class, the student must retake the exam. The exam must count 25% of the second semester grade.

Student does not have an AYP/EOC or EOC exam score due to an absence (was absent on the original test date and the make-up date)



Based on local policy, the student receives a zero or an Incomplete. If the student is allowed to make up the exam, he or she should do so during the next administration. A locally-created exam cannot be administered in lieu of a state exam.

Fall 2011 Test Administration Dates



- AYP EOC and Paper-Pencil Gateway Testing
 - ✦ Algebra I/ELSA and Paper-Pencil Gateway Math- December 6
 - ✦ English II/ELSA and Paper-Pencil Gateway Language Arts- December 7
 - ✦ Biology I and Paper-Pencil Gateway Science- December 8
 - ✦ Make-up Testing- December 9

- EOC English I, U.S. History, Algebra II, and English III Testing
(last 10 instructional days)

Scanning: December 9-20



ALL

-55 Operational Items

-7 Field Test Items

-Untimed

- **Gateway Exams** (Paper-Pencil and Online)

Mathematics

Language Arts

Science

Online Gateway Testing



- With the exception of homebound students and students requiring large print or Braille tests, all students must take Gateway assessments online.
- Online Gateway testing features a read-aloud function for Special Education students whose IEPs allow for the read-loud or prompting accommodation.

Fall 2011 Online Gateway Testing



- The Fall 2011 Gateway test administration window will span October 17-December 15.
- Students will be afforded multiple opportunities to test during the fall window.
- Testing will be available Monday-Thursday; however, students may test only once per week.
- Class Reports, Individual Profile Reports (IPRs), and labels will be posted the following Monday; for tracking purposes, a date stamp on the reports will be provided.
- Prior to retesting, testers who are still enrolled in high school must be provided a Gateway intervention.
- School districts may continue to deliver intervention via a locally-created program or intervention may be delivered via Perspective, a computer-based program offered by Pearson.

TestNav Transition Training Dates



- **Session Date:** Monday - Friday, September 26 - 30, 2011
- **Starting Time:** 9:00 AM Central Daylight Time
- **Duration:** 1 hour
- **Presenter:** Steven Branson
- **Description:** TN Gateway Online Testing Transition from TestNav 6.9 to 7.5_
Technology Staff
- **Agenda:** The purpose of this training session is to provide direction and review of the transition from TestNav 6.9 to 7.5 for the Fall 2011 TN Gateway Online Testing. This training will provide information on the new features of 7.5, the new ePats, guidance on proctor caching, and review of the system check tool.

TestNav Transition Training Dates



- **Session Date:** Monday - Friday, September 26 - 30, 2011
- **Starting Time:** 1:00 PM Central Daylight Time
- **Duration:** 1 hour
- **Presenters:** Steven Branson
- **Description:** TN Gateway Online Testing for Fall 2011_TestNav 7.5_ **Test Administrators**
- **Agenda:** The purpose of this training session is to provide an overview of the changes in the transition from TestNav 6.9 to 7.5 for TN Gateway Online Testing. This will include a review of updates made in 7.5, test session management, how to use Perspective and Learning Locator codes and updates made to PearsonAccess, including support documents.

Summer 2011 EOC Reports



- Delivered to districts on September 22
- Posted on PearsonAccess on September 22
- Will not include 2010-2011 Algebra II Reports
(Proposed cuts must be approved by the State Board of Education.)

PearsonAccess: SDDV, EOC Reports, Online Gateway Testing



PearsonAccess

Welcome to the state's gateway to services designed to help you register students for testing, order testing materials, and analyze test results.



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RANDA: Linking, Quick Scores, Messages



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Revised EOC Group Information Sheet (GIS)



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Tennessee Group Information Sheet



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• Use a No. 2 pencil only.	
• Make solid marks that fill the response circle completely.	
• Make no stray marks on this form.	
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RECORD TEST ADMINISTRATOR INFORMATION ON BACK IF THE TEST ADMINISTRATOR IS NOT THE TEACHER OF RECORD

Online TDOE Assessment Resources



- Test Administration Dates
- Achievement Levels and Descriptors
- Reporting Categories With State Performance Indicators
- Practice Tests and Item Samplers
- *Educator's Guide to Test Report Interpretation*
- *Parent's Guide: Understanding Your Student's Score Report*
- Algebra I, Algebra II, and Gateway Math Reference Pages
- Assessment Accommodations
- Assessment Forms and Documents
- PowerPoint Presentations (including LEAD and Regional PPTs)

EOC Pre-ID



In an effort to assist districts in a streamlined process that is efficient and provides improved accountability and accuracy of data, every effort is being made to utilize the same data subset for all reporting requirements within the department.

To this end, the Office of Assessment will utilize only EIS* data for pre-coding student response documents. Systems will no longer be required to enter or update information in multiple databases. All updates will be done within the Student Management System and uploaded into EIS.

*Education Information System

Fall 2011 EOC Pre-ID Schedule



Fall End of Course Schedule:

- September 23: Download EIS data to Pearson and RANDA
- October 3-14 -- Districts review data in PearsonAccess and may download a spreadsheet containing the demographic information. Changes will not be accepted in PearsonAccess, districts must make any edits in their student management system and upload these into EIS.
- October 17: Download final EIS data to Pearson and RANDA
- October 17 – November 11: print, pre-id, and package answer documents and ship to districts

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